

# Cal OES Daily Situation Report

## April 5, 2019



CAL FIRE Tuolumne Calaveras Unity (TCU) crews worked on a Fuels Reduction project in Tuolumne County. They utilized a Terra Torch to assist with burning piles of brush and debris.

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| Tribal Liaison POC              | Denise Shemenski   |
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## National Terrorism Advisory System



# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Cal OES Activation Status

| State Operations Center | Inland Region EOC | Coastal Region EOC | Southern Region EOC |
|-------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Normal Operations       | Normal Operations | Normal Operations  | Normal Operations   |

### Cal OES INLAND REGION

#### **Oroville Dam Spillway Scheduled Water Release, Butte County**

On 03/31/19 at 1126 hours, the California State Warning Center was notified by the Department of Water Resources (DWR) that the Emergency Action Plan (EAP) for Oroville Dam High Flow Operations was activated. This is a precautionary measure only. No hazard or threat to the Oroville Facilities exists.

Per DWR as of 04/04/19 at 1327 hours:

- Due to forecasted storms, DWR plans to increase total releases to the Feather River to up to 30,000 CFS (cubic feet per second). starting today, 04/05/19.
- Main spillway releases are anticipated to be up to 21,500 CFS today, 04/05/19.
- Oroville Spillway water release is going as planned.
- The Spillway is currently releasing water at a rate of 10,800 CFS.
- The Hyatt Power Plant (at the base of the dam) is releasing 10,500 CFS.
- Approximately 20,000 CFS is being released into the Feather River and will increase releases to 25,000 CFS by 1000 hours today, 04/05/19.
- The outflow numbers are adjusted throughout the day as inflows fluctuate, but they will remain targeting 20,000 CFS for a total release until further notice.
- DWR will continue to notify local emergency management agencies and entities along the Feather River of significant changes in releases from Lake Oroville.
- Cal OES Dam Safety will stay engaged with the dam owner throughout the water release and keep the CSWC up to date if anything changes.
- The CSWC will continue to monitor the situation and provide updates as they become available.

### Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- [Nothing significant to report.](#)

### Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

#### **Presidential Visit, Calexico, Imperial County**

On 04/05/19, according to the U.S. Border Patrol El Centro Sector, President Donald J. Trump will travel to Calexico to visit a newly completed section of the border wall.

- The President will also be participating in a roundtable with local law enforcement officials and will then proceed to a briefing and tour of the completed section of the wall.
- [The President will also visit Los Angeles County to attend a fundraiser event in Beverly Hills.](#)



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# SITUATION SUMMARY

## California/Nevada River Forecasts

Many rivers across the state are currently at monitoring or flood stage. For River Forecast Guidance, please visit <http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

### The following rivers are forecast to meet or exceed Flood stage:

- **Tehama County:** Sacramento River at Tehama Bridge, forecast to be above flood stage at 213.1 feet at approximately the morning of 04/09/19.
  - Potential Impacts: Road inside trailer park and turn around site under railroad tracks (Tehama Vina Road) become impassable. Water is into area around structures on east side of river. No structural damage.

### The following rivers are forecast to meet or exceed Monitor Stage:

- **Tehama County:** Sacramento River at Vina Woodson Bridge.
- **Glenn County:** Sacramento River at Ord Ferry.
- **Colusa County:** Sacramento River at Colusa Weir, Sacramento River at Colusa Bridge.
- **Lake County:** Clear Lake at Lakeport.
- **Sutter County:** Sacramento River at Tisdale Weir.
- **Yolo County:** Sacramento River at Fremont Weir, Yolo Bypass at Lisbon.
- **Sacramento County:** Cosumnes River at Michigan Bar.
- **Solano County:** Sacramento River at Rio Vista.

## FIRE ACTIVITY

### Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

| National             | Northern California                           | Southern California                           |
|----------------------|---|---|
| Preparedness Level 1 | Preparedness Level 1                          | Preparedness Level 2                          |
|                      | Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2 | Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2 |

Please note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

#### Cal OES Fire Missions

- **2019-FIRE-402:** Incident Number: CA-CDF-000127, Request for five 20-person Hand Crew each and all necessary personnel, support, transportation and materials. 65 additional soldiers to be trained and ready to backfill. Assigned to fuel reduction efforts in SHU, NEU, BEU, and FKU (1 Crew in each unit with the exception of 2 crews in FKU).

# MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

| Major Road Closures        |                            |                            |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Northern California        | Central California         | Southern California        |
| No Lifeline Route Closures | No Lifeline Route Closures | No Lifeline Route Closures |

## Lifeline Routes:

- There are no lifeline route closures.

## Non-Lifeline Routes:

- Click [here](#) for a list of current road closures.

## Wildfire Closures:

- There are no wildfire closures.

## Emergency Center Activations:

- There are no emergency center activations.

## Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check  
current Hwy. conditions.  
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for  
current Hwy. conditions.



# CALIFORNIA 911 SYSTEM

| CA 911 Outages      |                    |                     |
|---------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| Northern California | Central California | Southern California |
| No 911 Outages      | No 911 Outages     | No 911 Outages      |

**911 Outages/Remote/Community Isolations:**

- None reported.

**Service Interruptions:**

- None reported.

# **WEATHER OF CONCERN**

## **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

- Gale Warning is in effect until 1100 hours today for Del Norte County.
  - Winds is 34 to 47 knots are imminent or occurring.
  - Operating a vessel in gale conditions requires experience and properly equipped vessels.
- Mountain travel delays expected above 6000 feet through early Saturday morning
- Scattered snow showers will increase today with several inches of snow accumulation expected by Saturday morning. A period of heavier snow and gusty wind is forecast for this afternoon which will lead to travel delays.
- Snow will diminish tonight into Saturday morning.

## **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

- A couple of weak storm systems will bring mostly cloudy skies to the region through Saturday with a chance of showers.

### **Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:**

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

### **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>



# **WEATHER KEY POINTS**

**04/05/19 - 04/11/19**

## **Friday**

- Gusty winds to 40 mph are expected across the northern Sacramento Valley today with impacts to travel and localized property damage. Gusts to 55 mph possible along the far northern coast of California today.
- Rain, heavy at times, will continue across northern California today
  - Heaviest rain is expected this morning through this evening
  - Localized flooding possible across northern CA. Widespread debris flow flooding is not expected. Ponding water is expected, especially in heavier rain showers.
  - The Carr/Delta burn scar could have possible flooding through Friday eve. The period of highest concern is now through this evening.
- Late season snow expected over the Northern Sierras passes above 6000 ft. through early Saturday
  - The heaviest period of snow and gusty winds are forecast this afternoon

## **Saturday-Thursday**

- A series of weak storms will move across the far northern portion of the state with mainly light precipitation expected.
  - The wet pattern is expected to continue through next week.
- Strong winds are expected to develop across Southern CA Monday through Wednesday.
- Relative humidity will drop to near 15 to 20 percent across southern California on Monday, with increasing winds.
- Below normal temperatures will develop late next week



# CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

04/04/19 - 04/10/19

| <u>Hazards / Day</u>  | FRI                | SAT | SUN | MON                | TUE                | WED      | THU |
|---|--------------------|-----|-----|--------------------|--------------------|----------|-----|
| <b>Non-Thunderstorm<br/>Damaging Winds</b>                            | All Regions        |     |     | Southern           | Southern           | Southern |     |
| <b>Snow</b>   | Inland             |     |     |                    |                    |          |     |
| <b>Coastal Flooding</b>   |                    |     |     |                    |                    |          |     |
| <b>River Flooding</b>   |                    |     |     |                    |                    |          |     |
| <b>Thunderstorms<br/>(Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)</b>                    | Coastal/<br>Inland |     |     |                    |                    |          |     |
| <b>Fire Weather<br/>(Low Humidity / Wind /<br/>Dry Thunderstorms)</b> |                    |     |     | Southern           |                    |          |     |
| <b>Heat Risk</b>  |                    |     |     |                    |                    |          |     |
| <b>Heavy Rain / Flash<br/>Flooding / Debris Flow</b>                  | Coastal/<br>Inland |     |     | Coastal/<br>Inland | Coastal/<br>Inland |          |     |
| <b>Extreme Cold</b>   |                    |     |     |                    |                    |          |     |



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



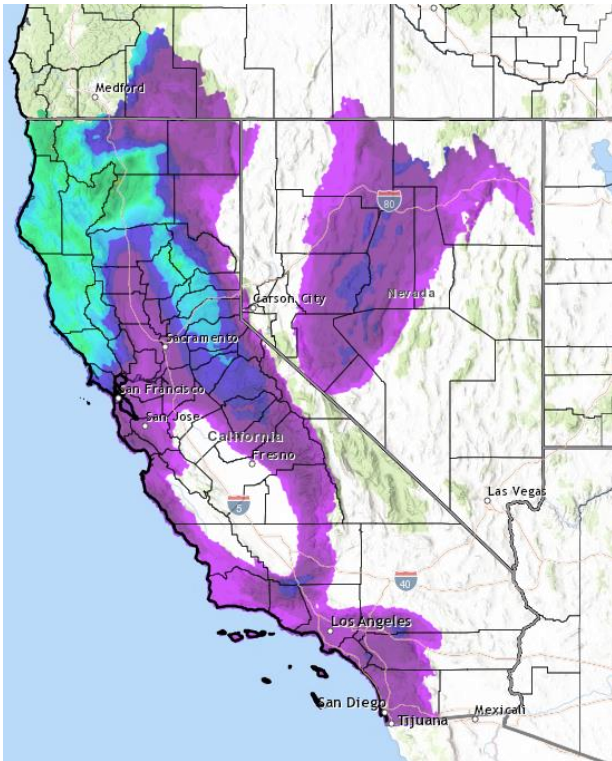
Moderate Impacts



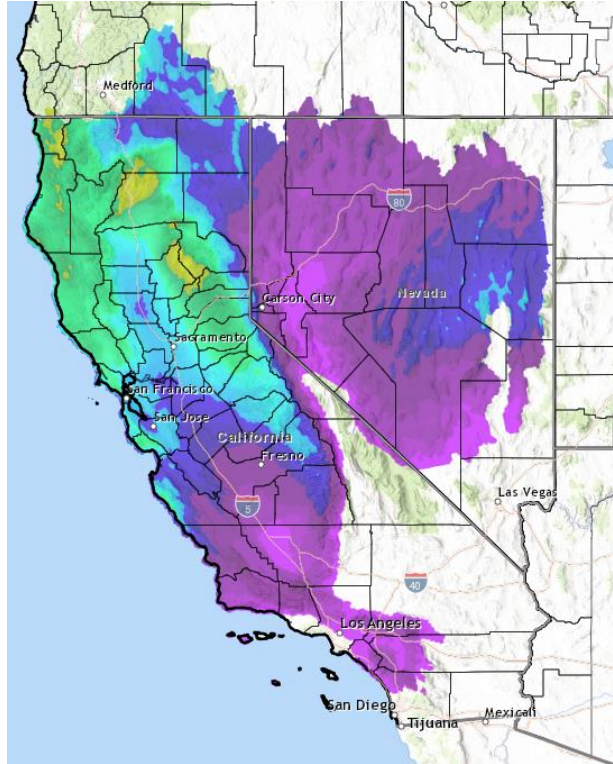
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# PRECIPITATION FORECAST

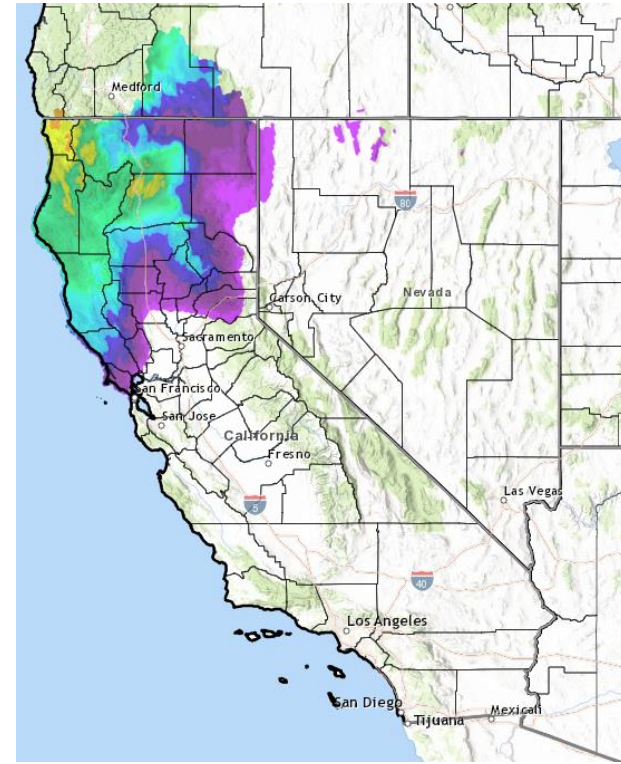
04/05/19 - 04/07/19



**Friday / Friday Night**



**Saturday / Saturday Night**



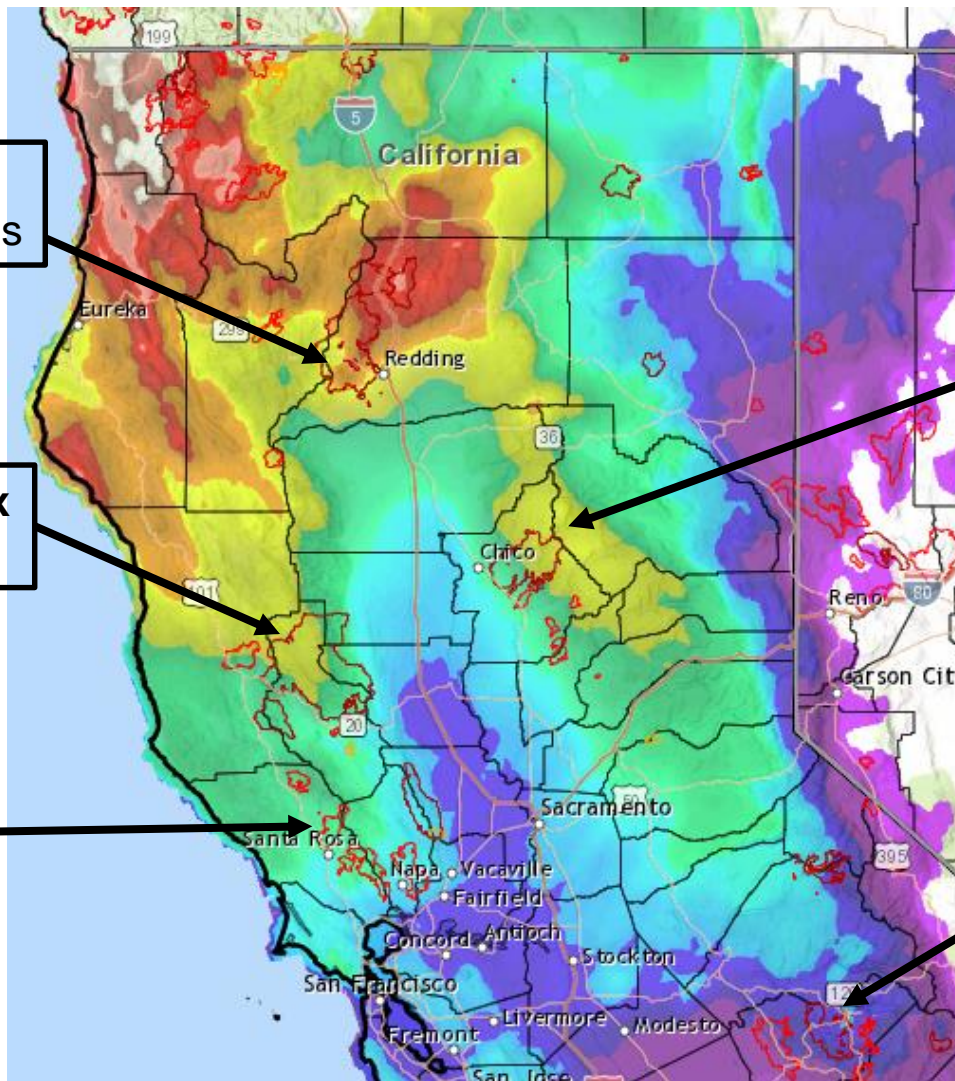
**Sunday / Sunday Night**

**Precipitation (inches)**



# NORTHERN CA BURN SCAR PRECIPITATION FORECAST

04/05/19 - 04/07/19



**Carr Fire**

1.75-3.25 inches

**Camp Fire**

0.50-1.50 inches

**Mendocino Complex**

0.50-1.25 inches

**North Bay Fires**

0.25-0.50 inch

**Ferguson Fire**

0.10-0.25 inch

Precipitation (inches)

3-day Total Precipitation Fri-Sun

0.50 1.00 1.50 2.00 2.50 3.00 3.50 4.00 4.50 5.00 5.50 6.00





# **WEATHER OUTLOOK**

**04/10/19 - 04/18/19**

## **6-10 Day Outlook (Apr 10– Apr 14)**

### **Temperatures**

- Low to moderate confidence of above below temperatures favored across the entire state

### **Precipitation**

- Low to moderate confidence of above normal precipitation favored across the entire state. Moderate to high confidence of above normal precipitation across inland southern CA.

## **8-14 Day Outlook (Apr 12 – Apr 18)**

### **Temperatures**

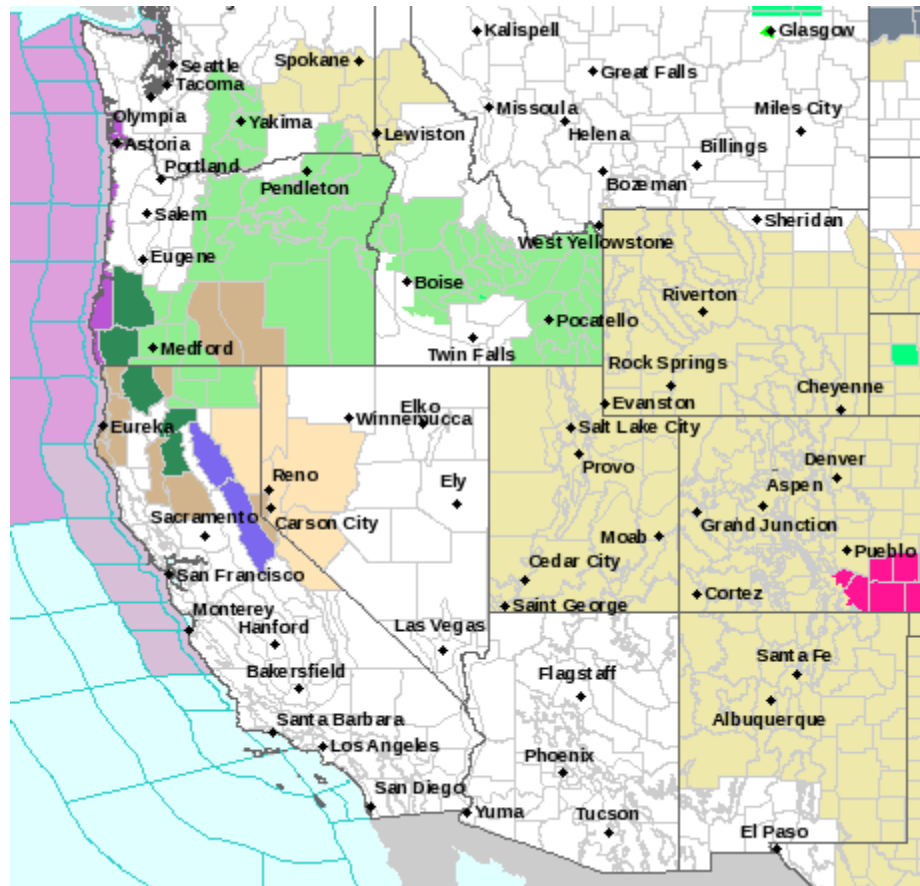
- Low to moderate confidence of below normal temperatures across the entire state

### **Precipitation**

- Low to moderate confidence of above normal precipitation favored across the entire state



# WEATHER MAP



- [Flood Warning](#)
- [Flash Flood Watch](#)
- [Gale Warning](#)
- [Red Flag Warning](#)
- [Winter Weather Advisory](#)
- [Flood Advisory](#)
- [High Surf Advisory](#)
- [Dense Fog Advisory](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory For Hazardous Seas](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory For Rough Bar](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory For Winds](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Lake Wind Advisory](#)
- [Wind Advisory](#)
- [Gale Watch](#)
- [Hazardous Seas Watch](#)
- [Flood Watch](#)
- [Special Weather Statement](#)
- [Hazardous Weather Outlook](#)
- [Hydrologic Outlook](#)



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# Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

## Cal OES Law Missions

- **2019-LAW-756, 04/04/19 at 1955 hours:** Request from Santa Clara SO to support Milpitas PD on a missing person case from 03/07/19. Subject, WMA 63 years old walked away from his home in Milpitas on that day after an argument with his spouse, possibly was suicidal. Has not been seen since walking towards Ed Levin County Park. Request is for 5 type C1 or C2 K9s with flankers and 10 Type II ground searchers to assist on 04/07/19 at 0800 hours. Requests made to San Mateo County SAR and the State K9 Coordinator. **MISSION ONGOING**
- **2019-LAW-748, 04/04/19 at 1655 hours:** SAR assistance request from Madera SO for an overdue cross country skier that is attempting to do the 50 Mile Ski Route (or Yosemite High Route). 58 years old male was supposed to meet with his friend on 04/03/19 at Mammoth Mountain. He is traveling alone and without a GPS emergency device. Madera SO requested local air support (H-40 Fresno) but they could not fly due to poor weather. Request was made from Madera SO for California National Guard (CNG) air support ASAP. CNG was not able to fly due to the weather, will reevaluate first thing in the morning on 04/05/19. **MISSION ONGOING**
- **2019-LAW-697, 04/04/2019 at 0755 hours:** IERCC notified SWC of a SEND device activation at LAT 33.719670 LONG -116.623714. That location is along the PCT at mile marker 0169-5 near Apache Peak. RO reported to IERCC that a member of his party had fallen and sustained a lower leg injury. Riverside SO notified and dispatched SAR ground searchers as the weather was not permitting a helicopter rescue. At 1300 hours the weather cleared and the Riverside SO helicopter was able to pick up the patient and transport him to a hospital. **MISSION CLOSED**
- **2019-LAW-681, 04/04/2019 at 0705 hours,** AFRCC (#19M0173) reported, ELT activation at 4/3/2019 1926 hours, 33 40.0 N -115 45.2 W, near Chiriaco Summit airport, aircraft is a Helicopter, Tail #N922AW. Registered Owner (RO) information is out of date, according to AFRCC. Riverside County SO made ramp check at the airport and nothing located. Last coordinates 33 44.6 N -118 19.1 W (Long Beach, LA County). AFRCC has activated CAP. **MISSION CLOSED.**
- **2019-LAW-580 03/29/19 at 1432 hours:** Sacramento County Sheriff's Office requested 3 water HRD K9s in reference to a possible drowning of a 42 year old man in the Sacramento River. The male went into the river to save his one year old child. Child was spotted by a CHP helicopter as a part of the response and then transported to UC Davis. Male has not been located. CALOES LEB canine coordinator is coordinating the request. Update 2016 hours SCSO requested Contra Costa Dive Team be put on stand by for tomorrow for continued search. Contra Costa dive team has accepted the mission. **Update 03/31/19:** Search has been suspended due to unsafe conditions for searchers/divers in the river. The speed of the river and limited visibility has created to great a risk to continue at this time. **Update 04/04/19:** Tulare County SO is assisting in the search with Side Scan Sonar and ROV. **Update 04/05/19:** Tulare County will remain with their equipment and continue to assist in the search. **MISSION ONGOING**
- **2019-LAW-558, 03/29/19, 0851 hours:** Butte County Sheriff's Office, requested 2 HRD K9s for a Law Enforcement sensitive mission. Mission schedule for 04/05/19 at 0800 hours. Cal OES LEB canine coordinator is coordinating the request. **MISSION CLOSED.**
- **2019-LAW-526, 03/27/19, 0830 hours:** Santa Cruz SO, requested 7 HRD canine teams to assist with a Law Enforcement sensitive mission. Mission scheduled for 04/06/19. Cal OES LEB canine coordinator is coordinating the request. **MISSION ONGOING**

# Cal OES MISSION TASKING

## Cal OES Missions

- **2019-SOUTHERN-621:** Request for Caltrans District 7 rock slide blasting on a county maintained road. Yerba Buena between PCH and Yellow Hill Road. (On Scene)
- **2019-SOC-275:** Request for Caltrans Engineer to provide initial technical assistance and determine the scope of the storm drain assessment project alongside city contractors for the town of Paradise. (Coordinating)
- **2019-SREOC-57753:** Requesting equipment to excavate material from under road culverts. (On Scene)



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